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W. J. Loggie Elected Mayor

The election on Monday last to vote on the majority candidate did not create a great deal of excitement, consequently a small vote was polled. The result appeared to be in doubt until late in the afternoon, when it was expected that Mr. Loggie would be elected.

The vote was:
Mayor Angus 139
W. J. Loggie 184.

School Notes

The people are requested to bear in mind the Debate, on Friday night, in Angus Theatre.

The subject is "Resolved that Compulsory Military Training be taught in the schools of the Dominion of Canada."

The affirmative will be upheld by Miss Honora Dyde and Mr. K. Broadbent of the Strathcona High School and the Negative by Messrs R. Stevens and R. Smith of the Wetaskiwin High School.

There should be a large attendance to show that the Public encourages this special subject for the presentation of the Famous Stage Comedian, Henry E. Dixey, in motion pictures, entitled "Father and Son."

The program will commence at 7:30, two Acts being presented before the Debate, the other three after. Tickets only 25 cents.

Election of Officers

The election of officers in Mount Horeb Chapter No. 6, A.F. & M., on Thursday evening last resulted as follows:

Comp. H. D. Robinson.
Comp. Geo. D. Wallace.
Comp. C. B. McMurdo.
Comp. R. W. Manley.
Scribe H. Comp. C. H. Russell.
Scribe N. Comp. W. Dixon.
Treas. Comp. J. W. Bailey.
P.S. Comp. F. B. Watson.
Janitor Comp. G. L. Gothard.

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Communication

(We do not necessarily endorse the sentiments advanced in this or any other correspondence under the heading—Ed.)

To the Editor, Wetaskiwin Times:

From the apparent inextinguishable gravity of "Home Truths" and "Philosophical Gams" which your contemporary appears to have "cornered," I would like a few lines to call attention to one or two of more than ordinary brilliancy.

The first one is, "as a matter of fact we admit that the Undertaker will have us all in the end, even Sally Brown must go." This fact was very vividly impressed upon my mind the other day, when Brown and I went to the City Hall to vote at the Municipal Elections.

After we had successfully negotiated a wonderful piece of architectural achievement in the shape of winding stairs, and having cut our way through a strong cloud of horse manure, we emerged from a dark corridor into the Polling Booth. Would you believe it, Mr. Editor, the first person which I could discern through the thick clouds of horse manure was the Undertaker. Had Brown's strong arms not have supported me, I do not think I would have been alive today to tell the tale.

Your contemporary also asserts that "an election is the best thing going to clear up a lot of the soiled linen of the City." I heartily agree with him—When Brown (who, by the way, pretends he understands all about Municipal Politics) informed me that it was customary for some of the Aldermen to draw wages as members of the Fire Brigade, sell goods, etc. to the City, I could scarcely believe him. Apart from the question as to whether this is legal or not, I think the majority of the ratepayers will agree with me that it is positively indecent and indefensible. The sooner the new Mayor consigns this unsavory custom to the Municipal garbage can, the better it will be in the interests of clean Municipal government.

Such a stand was taken by ex-Mayor Knox in 1912 and strictly adhered to during the whole term of his administration.

Yours truly,
SALLY BROWN.

Church Chimes

METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday, Dec. 17th

The choir will be present at both services. Special music will be rendered in keeping with the Christmas season.

The Xmas entertainment of the Sunday School will be held in the Church Wednesday eve, Dec. 20th.

SALVATION ARMY

Captain Grey of the Salvation Army and her assistant, Gulet Holmes, have said farewell to Wetaskiwin. The Captain left for Winnipeg, which is her home, and the Cadet proceeded to Edmonton to another sphere of labor.

On Wednesday morning, Lieut. P. S. Ratcliffe arrived in the City from Camrose, and will take charge of the Army Forces.

KNOX CHURCH

Sunday services at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

Sunday School at 2:30 p.m.

BATTLE RIVER MISSION

Service will be held in the Angus Ridge school-house on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, conducted by the Rev. C. E. A. Powell. The collection in vitation is extended to all who can attend.

The Very Reverend Father Albert Lacombe passed peacefully away Monday at the Father Lacombe Home at Midnapore, at the age of 80 years. The death of this splendid man will be learned with regret and sorrow throughout the entire western Canada, for his life had been bound up in the west since early in the fifties, when first he came to Manitoba as a missionary for the Oblate order.

Father Lacombe has done more perhaps for the early settlers of Canada, of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta than any other one man. Herald.

Town Topics

The brigade had a run on Sunday afternoon to a chimney reef the residence of J. E. Lewis. No damage was done.

The Patriotic Fund committee gratefully acknowledge a donation of \$50.00 received from Mr. Paul Dekan, a few days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey arrived from Edmonton on Monday, the former having accepted a situation in the dry goods department of the Star Store.

75c bottle of Toilet Water for one cent at the Rexall Drug Store at the big Sale.

"Father and Son," chunk full of fun, from start to finish, 5 Acts, Angus Theatre, Friday Evening next.

Don't forget the Seed-Tair to be held in Wetaskiwin on January 6th. Government speakers will be in attendance.

The Wetaskiwin District Association of the U. F. A. will hold their annual meeting in the B. I. O. Theatre on December 15th. All U. F. A. members are urged to attend.

Do not forget the Debate on Compulsory Military Training in the Schools of Canada, Strathcona High School vs. Wetaskiwin High School, Friday evening in Angus Theatre.

The Willing Workers of Knox Church will hold a tea at the home of Mrs. Thomas Willows on Friday afternoon, Dec. 15th, from 3:30-6 o'clock. All members and adherents of the congregation are cordially invited to be present. Please bring quarterly subscriptions.

35-cent box of Christmas writing paper at the Rexall Drug Store for one cent.

The Annual meeting of the Liberal Association of the City of Wetaskiwin will be held in Angus Hall, Wetaskiwin on Friday, Dec. 15th, at 7 o'clock. The program is as follows: A request and ladies are specially invited. Officers will be elected for the ensuing year and addresses will be delivered dealing with the questions of the day.

I am prepared to receive applications for loans on chattel mortgage. C. D. Smith, Dryad Block.

Central Powers Submit Peace Terms

London, Dec. 12.—Arthur Henderson, minister of pensions in the first public speech to be made by any of the new ministers, warned the country against a premature peace. Speaking at Clapham, Mr. Henderson said:

"The war has gone on too far for some people in this country. It is possible, in view of the military situation, that we may become war weary. I want to warn everyone of the danger of premature peace. I am as strongly for peace as anybody can be, but peace must place us without doubt beyond the recurrence of the present catastrophe. It means that our United States friends and any other neutrals to whom they can to form a league of nations which would bind themselves together to lay down principles of arbitration and I will go with them, but not now. To talk peace with all the most corrupt military forces against us would be a step toward having to fight the whole thing over again."

London, Dec. 12.—A wireless dispatch from Berlin says that in his speech before the Reichstag the Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg announced that Germany together with her allies, "conscious of their responsibility before God, before their own nation and before humanity," have proposed to the hostile powers to enter into peace negotiations.

Washington, D.C., 12.—Advices from Berlin to the German embassy indicate that Germany's peace terms in general measure, propose the restoration of the status quo before the war with the exception of the establishment of independent kingdoms of Poland and Lithuania.

They are understood to propose the complete restoration of the occupied portions of Belgium and France in return for Germany's captured colonies and to dispose of the Balkan situation, because of its extremely complicated nature, in the peace conference.

The Breaking Up of the 151st Batt.

A letter received a few days ago has the following to say of the breaking up of the 151st Battalion, which is a battalion dear to the hearts of the residents of Central Alberta.

"I am sending home my good old 151st badge, and hope you will keep them safely until I get home, as I wouldn't take anything for them. I will always be proud that I was a member of the 151st. We all felt sorry for poor Col. Arnot the other day. We were being inspected by the General, and he complimented the Colonel on having commanded such a fine battalion. He said the 151st was perfect, and that he had never seen a finer body of men. (And I am sure it is a fine battalion, because see how soon we are going over, we have beaten all the other battalions by four or five weeks.) The Colonel then lined us up to dismiss us for the last time, and then turning round by kind old face, he thanked us for the honor we had brought him and all we had done for him. He said there were always bright spots in his life, and that this was the greatest day he had ever seen. He said he could wish for no greater honor than to take us to the front, and that although the battalion was now broken up, he hoped that we would all remember that we were his men, and in our hearts would always be long to the 151st. In a low voice he then dismissed us and slowly walked away looking sorrowfully backward as we marched to the various drafts. Believe me, we were all nearly crying, even the officers looking pretty blue. You know none of the old 151st officers go over with the drafts."

"Well this is some rainy country, but we got along O.K. and met our friends in the Old Kit Bag and Smile, Smile, Smile. Our latest marching song, 'They say it never rained like this before the war, and that the clouds were washed away by the rain of war. It seems funny, doesn't it, but we all liked it now if we are not soaking wet.'"

"We will probably be in the trenches for Christmas, but we will turn the bully beef into turkey and the hard-tack into Christmas pudding and have a good time."

Died

We regret to announce the demise of Eva Ort, beloved wife of Mr. A. Genz, which took place on the 5th. The late Mrs. Genz was born in Wisconsin on Oct. 2nd, 1840. She was first married to Adam Knapp and as a result of life, and six boys and two daughters were born, all of whom are living except one. She later married her sorrowing husband, to whom four sons, Andrew, Albert, Nicholas, of Wetaskiwin, and William of Vancouver were born. The funeral took place on Thursday of last week, interment being in the R.C. cemetery. The host of friends in the community extend their deepest sympathy.

Election in Rural Municipality

The result of the election in the different divisions of Rural Municipality of Managard, held on Friday last for councillor resulted as follows:

Division 1
J. G. Wilcher, 14
Len Bismar, 38
Hall Insurance by-law, For, 13; against, 37.

Division 2
Chas. A. Johnson, 20
D. E. Widen, 24
By-law, For, 11; against, 35

Division 3
Amos Doupe, 47
P. E. Peterson, 23
By-law, For, 22; against, 48

Division 4
A. S. Craig (acclamation)
By-law, For, 1; against, 4

Division 5
S. B. Groves and T. B. Jerns each polled 31.
There were two spoiled ballots.
By-law, For 1 against, 61

Division 6
John Maynard (acclamation)
By-law, For 1; against, 30

Wetaskiwin Agricultural Society

The annual meeting of the Wetaskiwin Agricultural Society was held at Angus Theatre on 6th of December, 1916.

In the absence of C. E. Compton, President, Mr. H. J. Montgomery, the Honorary President, took the chair at the request of Mr. John Berry, the First Vice President.

The Chairman then made a short address on the work of the past year.

The minutes of the last Annual Meeting were read and on motion of J. Berry, seconded by E. R. Rasmussen, they were passed as read.

The financial report of the Secretary-Treasurer was then read.

Mr. John Berry, who was nominated by P. C. Peterson and seconded by J. F. Fowler, was elected President by acclamation.

Mr. E. R. Rasmussen, nominated by J. W. Gross, seconded by G. L. Gothard, was elected First Vice-President by acclamation.

Mr. J. F. Fowler, nominated by E. R. Rasmussen, seconded by L. W. Marr, was elected Second Vice-President by acclamation.

A committee consisting of P. C. Peterson, E. R. Rasmussen, John Berry and L. W. Marr, was chosen to submit to the meeting a list of eligible members for the Directorate.

On report of the above committee the following names were submitted:

H. E. Cutler, J. H. Berg, J. W. Bailey, E. Recknagel, R. P. Roop, R. T. Hawkins, F. Freeman, Amos Doupe, J. J. Boreth, C. B. McMurdo, L. W. Marr, J. G. Wilcher, J. W. Gross, P. C. Peterson, R. N. Shaw.

On motion of J. F. Fowler seconded by E. R. Rasmussen, that the committee's recommendation of the above Directorate be accepted and that the Secretary be instructed to cast the necessary ballot for their election. Carried.

On motion of J. W. Gross, seconded by E. R. Rasmussen, that Mr. Montgomery, M. P. B. be re-elected Honorary Vice-President of the Society for the ensuing year.

Moved by J. W. Bailey, seconded by J. Berry, that the Directors next year arrange that special consideration be given to local exhibitors, and that their prizes shall not be subject to competition with Professional Exhibitors, at the same time doing nothing to bar outside exhibitors, and that a feasible scheme be worked out towards this end.

Mr. Berry made an address of thanks on his election to the Presidency.

Mr. Montgomery then made an address on the work of the Society.

On motion of J. Berry, seconded by J. F. Fowler, a vote of thanks and appreciation was tendered to Dean Howes, of the Alberta University, who before the commencement of the meeting had made an able address to the members on subject of Seed and other farming problems.

The meeting adjourned.

The balance sheet of the Society will be published next issue.

Women's Relief Corps

The business meeting of the Women's Relief Corps will be held in their rooms on Wednesday, Dec. 20th instead of the following week.

Town Topics

Dr. Scanlon will be at the Criterion Hotel on Tuesday December 19th, from 10 A.M. For consultation Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat.

A 75c box Choc dates at the Rexall Drug Store for one cent. 21, 22, 23rd Dec.

At a meeting of the Lacombe Presbytery, held in Knox Church here on Tuesday the 5th inst., the call from Loughheed to Rev. W. A. Cunningham, B.A. was sustained and accepted. The induction is appointed to take place on Wednesday, 20th inst. at 8 o'clock.

Don't forget the One Cent Sale at the Rexall Drug Store Dec. 21st, 22nd, 23rd. Three days only.

The ladies of the R.C. Altar Society wish to announce that a food and linen sale will be held Jan 27th 1917. Particulars will be given later.

GIFT GIVING

The true gift giver of today is better known by the wisdom of his or her selection than by the amount of money spent. So long as the gift bears distinction its cost may be dropped out of consideration.

In our buying for this Xmas trade we have made a special effort to procure articles which will appeal to the careful buyer. The fact that the war has caused no advance in the cost of jewelry places us in an advantageous position as a gift Store.

Gifts for Ladies

Gold Neckties \$2 to \$25.00
Cameo Rings 3.50 to 7.50
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Gifts for Gents

Cuff Links .75 to \$10.00
Scarf Pins .75 to 15.00
Signal Rings 4.00 to 8.00
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The Final Week of the Guessing Contest at the Banner Store

Our doll contest closes Saturday Dec. 23rd. This leaves one more week in which to guess. The big doll goes next week to the lucky winner.

On Saturday Dec. 16th we will give two guesses for every dollar guessed. It costs you nothing to guess so why not place a guess on the big doll. Your little girl may be the winner.

We have just opened a very good assortment of Fancy China suitable for Xmas Gifts. These are priced very reasonable and should be well in the reach of every pocket.

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DAN McLEAN.
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Canadian Exhibits in U.S.

Canadians when they go abroad invariably come home with a higher appreciation of Canada. This is partly due, no doubt, to the advantages Canada offers, but it may also be attributed in part to the excellent representation of Canadian things that has been made in foreign countries. The Dominion Government, for instance, has the reputation of showing collections of Canadian products at the leading international fairs, which for excellence of products exhibited and artistic presentation are rarely equaled by any other country.

The Canadian Pacific Railway also has carried on a very important work in making Canada's resources known in other lands and particularly in the neighboring republics. Not only at such international events as the Panama-Pacific Exposition a year ago, but also in exhibits of a more local nature, the Canadian Pacific Railway has lost no opportunity of representing Canadian resources in a manner of which the citizens of this country may well be proud. Handsome displays of Canada's resources including minerals and fruits, but more particularly the products of the Western farms, are maintained at a number of the chief centers throughout the United States and never fail to excite favorable comment.

One of the exhibits recently established is at the Bureau of Industry and Agriculture conducted by the Chicago Herald on the second floor of the Ashland block, corner of Clark and Randolph streets, Chicago. At this Bureau are exhibits showing the resources of many of the States of the United States and also of Canada. Canadians visiting Chicago are invited to call at the Bureau at any address given above and make themselves known to the attendant in charge of the Canadian Pacific Railway exhibit there. All our readers having friends in the South who are likely to visit Chicago during the winter can do their country a good turn by suggesting that these friends take advantage of their visit there to see for themselves what Canada has to offer. The Bureau is open every week-day and motion pictures illustrating the different districts represented, are run in a special feature hall. No charge is made for admittance either to the exhibit or to the motion picture hall.

BRONCHITIS WAS SO BAD

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Mr. Geo. Lutton, Ulfridge, Ont. writes: "I have had bronchitis for a long time. I had a doctor at night, and had to cough every few minutes to get my breath. I had a doctor out to see me, but his medicine seemed to do me no good. I went to the drugstore for some cough medicine, and got Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. One bottle helped me wonderfully. I stopped coughing, and could lie down, and rest well at night. I cannot praise it too much."

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Rural Municipality Council

A meeting of the council of Rural Municipality of Montgomery No. 458, was held in the Secretary's office on Saturday Dec. 2nd. All the Councillors present.

After the adoption of the minutes, the Secretary read the auditors report for the first ten months, ending Oct. 31st, 1916. Moved by Councillor Wisler that the Auditors Report be received and filed.

Letter from the Secretary of the Village of Bittern Lake was read, enclosing a cheque of \$40.00 as grant towards the grading of road into Village from the North was read. Moved by Reeve: Rasmussen that a vote of thanks be tendered the village of Bittern Lake for the donation, and that the Secretary be instructed to forward same. Carried.

Moved by the Reeve that the names of R. Carthwright and H.A. Foster be put on Assessment rolls, occupants on Section 6-17-22-1, and the name of H. Merryman be put on roll as occupant of S.E. 7-44-22-1. Carried.

Survey on 25-45-22-1, moved by Councillor Johnson that the Secretary be instructed to ask the department to register plan of above survey, also to find out how much land was taken for roadway. Carried.

Moved by Councillor Craig that secretary be authorized to make settlement with Silverman Vagor for land taken for roadway on 3-17-22-45-24 as per agreement. Carried.

Moved by Councillor Craig that the Department of Public Works be asked to make survey of division road on Mrs. Rao's land. Carried.

Reeve Rasmussen presented a petition from residents of Bittern Lake District asking the Department of Public Works to construct a ditch for the lowering of Bittern Lake. Moved by Reeve: Rasmussen that the Council endorse the project and recommend to the Department the construction of the same. Carried.

Moved by Councillor Doupe that the Secretary be authorized to pay to the several School Districts the last quarter of their demands. Carried.

Accounts and paycheques were passed for payment.

Moved by Councillor Craig that a hearty vote of thanks be tendered the Reeve for the courteousness and consideration he has shown in the deliberations of the council during the year. Carried unanimously.

Meeting adjourned.

A special Meeting of the Council was held in the Secretary's Office on Monday the 4th of Dec. 1916.

The Resignation of C.D. Enman as returning Officer was read by the Reeve. Moved by Councillor Wil-

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sher that the resignation be accepted. Carried.

Moved by Reeve Rasmussen that V. E. Thompson, appointed Returning Officer. Carried.

Meeting adjourned.

Famous Bostonians

What the Regina Leader says of the famous Bostonians performance of "The Rose of Honolulu," the attraction to appear at the Angus Theatre next Tuesday and Wednesday, Dec. 16th and 20th.

A visit to the Regina Theatre of the clever Famous Bostonians is always an event looked forward to by patrons of this theatre and small wonder was it that the Regina theatre was packed to the doors last evening when the Bostonians presented "The Rose of Honolulu," their latest musical offering.

This musical offering is from the pen of Mrs. Lang, and is the result of the visit of the Bostonians to the beautiful Hawaiian Islands recently. The play is full of attractive music, delightful dancing, many opportunities are presented and taken advantage of for pleasing songs, and on the whole, is one of the prettiest attractions presented this season.

The story tells of a young and famous Bostonian is a wealthy sugar planter and is surrounded by comedy of the purest kind.

Patsy Henry is there with all her old time vim and humor, and to her falls the chief comedy part. Miss Henry needs no introduction to a Regina audience, and last evening her audience were kept in a roar with her many quips. Billie O'Neill, another favorite delighted all with her songs and Marie Hill was not forgotten. Charming Miss Ina Mitchell is prima donna of the company and made an instantaneous hit last evening by her singing.

Now that the farmer's machine notes are coming due watch the price of pork go down until the packers find the notes are about all paid and the farmer is not in such pressing need of cash before the price returns upward. A careful observer says this occurs from year to year. So spoke one of our exchanges recently. But we have not noticed any great drop in the price of hogs lately.—Province.

AFTER THE GRIPPE

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Just arrived a full stock of colors in beautiful shades of Flesh, Nile, Sky, Maize, Pink and etc. Perfect for evening wear. 38 inches wide. Per Yard..... 1.75	Especially Choice Choosing for Christmas Shoppers in Silk Waists, Boudoir Caps, Fancy Collars, Embroidered Handkerchiefs, Mufflers, Hand Bags, etc.
FURS FURS	CURTAIN NETS
Our magnificent assortment of furs will make an irresistible appeal to every woman whose thoughts at this season naturally turns to furs. Our range consists of Black Fox, Rat, Marmot and Russian Bear. Prices ranging from 7.50 to 150.00	are shown in the greatest profusion, a lavish display of these much desired materials for effective and serviceable Curtains, await your inspection 75c to 90c Curtain Nets reduced to 65c 60c to 65c " " " " 45c

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Extraordinary Values in

MEN'S SUITS AND OVERCOATS

A Christmas Event

Many a man marks Christmas day with a new Suit and Overcoat. For such a man our great stock of Twentieth Century Suits and Overcoats is ready now with some very unusual values at 25.00. The assortment of fabrics, models and colors is remarkable, including those which will appeal to every taste, from the most conservative to that of the young man who is on the watch for the unusual. The styles are irrevocable, the materials are of the best obtainable at the price. The value is very exceptional at 25.00

Phone No. 10 THE STAR GROCERY DEPARTMENT Phone No. 10

Winter Apples	Fruits
We have just received into stock a car of very fine Western Apples. They are Washington Apples from the famous Wenatchee valley, nicely colored, good sized, finest flavor. Best varieties such as Jonathans, Wagners, Rome Beauty, Maiden Blush, Baldwin, etc.	Oranges, per dozen 50 and 60c Lemons large, per dozen 45c Cranberries, per pound 17c Celery, 3 pounds for 25c
Price \$2.00 and \$2.25	For Your Xmas Baking
Special prices on 3 or more boxes	Currants cleaned per lb. 25c Pistachios, fresh stock per lb. 15c Mixed Nut per lb. 30c Almond Paste in pound tins 75c Shelled Walnuts per lb. 60c Shelled Almonds per lb. 60c Extracts, all flavors, per bottle 25c Dates in pkt. 2 for 25c
General Groceries	Crockery Department
Crisco, per tin 35c Wellington Knife Polish, tin 25c Tomato Soup, Snider Brand, 25c Pineapple, per tin 25c Anchovy sauce, per bottle 25c C.B.H. Curry Powder, per bottle 25c Anchovy and Blotter Paste, Cross & Blackwell's, each 25c Weir's Grape Juice, pints 30c Weir's Grape Juice, quarts 50c	Cups and Saucers, clover leaf design, per dozen \$2.00 97 Piece Dinner sets, prices per set ranging from \$15 to \$45 Flower Pots each 20, 25 and 35c Electric Light Bulbs, 25 Watt 40c 40 Watt, 50 Watt, each 40c
Saturday Specials	Bulbs
Tomato Catsup, Snider Brand, per tin 25c Peaches, 1 lb tin in honey syrup, per tin 25c Rice, per tin 25c Lux.	Chinese Lilies, Daffodils, Narcissus, Hyacinths, Crocuses, Tulips. Get our prices.

Montgomery Bros.

Improvise (Walt Mason)

The country's best painted red by cheerful, careless lads, who never look a day ahead, but blow the wind, break. And then they in all their seeds. Today they have the village hum with their resounding mirth but sickness comes, reverses comes, to every man on goodly wealth, so why not buy a "Tug" who rebukes them with "Tug" and says, "Be safe and sane."

and here's the rainy day! If you've a package in the bank, you do not fear the worst, when Fortune gives you your nose a yank, and sets you back a verst.

It looks as if one more Christmas is to be let pass without the Kaiser eating his sauerkraut in Paris.



A pure,
Cream of Tartar
Baking Powder

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Sixty Years the Standard

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CREAM
BAKING POWDER

Contains No Alum

Perfectly leavens and makes the
food more delicious and wholesome.

The Ten Commandments for Christmas Giving

1. Thou shalt love the giver of the gift, because he has sent the gift.
2. Thou shalt remember first the very young and very old.
3. Thou shalt buy within thy means remembering the spirit of the gift and not the value.
4. Thou shalt not become a party to the mere exchange of gifts. Let thy heart go with every greeting or present thou sendest out.
5. Thou shalt make such gifts as thy skill may warrant, inasmuch as the work of thy hands gives added value to the offering.
6. Thou shalt tie up no bitter remembrances with a gift, but only peace and good will.

7. Thou shalt have thy gifts ready several days before the time of delivery that the immediate days before Christmas may be filled with peace and happiness, and not with turmoil and frenzy.
8. Thou shalt seek the abodes of the poor and friendless with such wholesome gifts as may cheer and nourish their hungry bodies and hearts.
9. Thou shalt not gush over thy gifts. Thou shalt show thy gratitude in more sincere ways.
10. Thou shalt, at the earliest opportunity, give written or verbal thanks for such kindnesses as thy friends may have bestowed upon thee at Christmas.

11. I am prepared to receive applications for loans on chattel mortgage. C.D. Smith, Driard Bldg.

The Wheat King

I met a man upon the street
Whose hat was much too small.
It merely perched atop his head,
And would not fit at all;
His nose was high up in the air,
His face expressed disdain,
As if to look on common folk,
Occasioned him much pain.

I noted too his rich attire
And his projecting chest,
And even as I looked there burst
Some buttons off his vest.
From out the corner of his face
There stuck a big cigar,
And by his side upon the street
Kept pace a high priced car.

"Who is this guy?" I asked the crowd
Who followed in his wake.
Whose very glance so stern and high
Would almost make one quake.
"Why does this Goozer's chest stick
out?"

This question I repeat;
Oh, he, I heard the people shout,
Has made his pile in wheat.

The fact that a man covers his
automobile in cold weather does
not prove that he will think to
blanket his horse.

Lethbridge, Dec. 10.—R.E. Parker, of Medicine Hat, mail clerk, was killed; Engineer Ferguson severely injured about the head, Brake-man J. Hurd, Sleeping-car conductor W. J. Riddle, and Express Messenger Campbell slightly injured at Chin, Alberta, at 2:55 o'clock Saturday morning, when two passenger trains came together.

Influenza

Nothing I know of
will give such prompt
relief from the dis-
ease as Chamber-
lain's Cough Rem-
edy. The pain in
the chest disappears,
the fever goes down,
and the whole body
feels better. After
effects of the disease
can also be avoided
by using

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

I have never known a single case of
influenza to result in pneumonia when
Chamberlain's was freely given, and
the cough following influenza speedily
yields to this splendid remedy.

Yours for health,
—Jenny Chamberlain

A Final Word to Xmas Shoppers

We feel it our duty to urge upon you the necessity of doing your buying early, don't leave it until the last minute, as many of the best things will be picked up in the next few days. Look over the list below, it may suggest something for you. Drop in and look at our stock.

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By all the best authors.
New ones just received.

Boys' Books By:

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Anything you want in the book line, we have it

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Dolls

Games

Largest Stock

ever shown in

the City

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GOODS

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XMAS DECORATIONS

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CIGAR CASES
CANDLE STICKS
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ACCESSORIES
of ALL KINDS

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Make Money for
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Make this a Red Letter Day for the Red Cross Society—on this date 5% of our Cash drawing go to the Red Cross. This will be a Big Money-making Day for the Red Cross and the hundreds of people who come to buy, for prices will be cut to the utmost with two motives in view—to help along the Red Cross and to clear out our stock as quickly as possible. Absolutely No Reserve.

Help along the Good
Cause by Snapping up
the Bargains we offer

Red Cross Day

\$15,000.00 Stock on the Alter of Sacrifice

Red Cross Day

No. 1 Lot	Ladies' Cozy
Boys' Boots	Slippers
\$1.90	95c Pr
Sizes 6 to 12	Sizes 3 to 6
RED CROSS DAY	
No. 2 Lot	Ladies' Felt
Boys' Boots	Slippers
\$2.25 Pair	With Leather Soles
Sizes 1 to 5	\$1.20 Pair
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Boots

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Boots

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Xmas Presents

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Assortment

of Fancy

Dishes

For Christmas

Grocery

Specials

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10c a Pkt.

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Salmon Tall, 15c Tin

Victoria Cross

Tea, 35c

Eggo Baking Pow-

der, 20c Tin

Men's Ties

Individual Boxes

45c Each

RED CROSS DAY

Boys'

Toques

25c Each

Men's Ties

Individual Boxes

25c Each

RED CROSS DAY

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FURS RE-MODELLED and RE-DYED Mrs. L. Clair announces that she is prepared to receive orders for fur suits and re-modelling of furs. Also fur re-dyed and repaired on shortest notice. Call and see her at 21 Jufferin street n, Wetaskiwin. 39-15

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DUROO JERSEY BOARS FOR SALE—Pure Bred for Autumn service. Price right. Apply to W. E. Venable, N.E. 25-45-25, Wetaskiwin post office. 28-15

ESTRAY—On the premises of A.L. Waters, Sec. 25-45-23W. 1 red and white steer, 2 years old branded something like M. 30-35

J. D. COWAN, Brand Reader, Wetaskiwin.

ESTRAY—On the premises of R. Krause on Sec. 21, 4R. 24. W. of 4th M. 1 Bay Mare coming, 4 years old, one year from face, little white on nose, white hind feet, brand very indistinct on right shoulder looks like [S]. 30-35

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THURSDAY, DEC. 14th, 1916

Regina, Dec. 11.—The 20 government liquor stores in Saskatchewan will close on December 30, never to open again.

Edmonton, Dec. 11.—Mayor W. T. Henry was re-elected mayor for his third term today over Joseph A. Clarke, by a majority of 4,589.

A Chicago girl has made a flight from that city to New York, traveling 783 miles in six hours, thirty-two minutes. She made 660 miles without a stop in five hours, thirty-eight minutes. This knocked galley-west the performance of a much advertised mail aviator who travelled between the two cities the week before. A feat like this should make a person a little careful in his third term today over Joseph A. Clarke, by a majority of 4,589.

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Carlson Blacksmith Coal now on hand. Apply to F.G. KILYET, Box 22 or to T.T. Beishin's Blacksmith Shop. 38-15

STRAYED—From the south-west quarters of 10-45-23-4th, one red yearling steer, with hole punched in left eye, on or about October 7th. Reward for information leading to recovery. Arthur Woodrow, R. 16 2 Wetaskiwin. Phone 607. 38-35

CATTLE ESTRAY—From my ranch, Hay Lakes, about Nov. 1st, few head horses and steers branded as follows: bar, spear head, U on left ribs; others branded J O N, the O being on hip bone, one either side. Rewards for information. J. O. Boon, Millet. 38-35

ESTRAY—Came onto the premises of J.H. Lock, N. 1-23-4-22-23 W. 4th, one red and white cow, about 4 years old, spotted, horns, coming two years old, indistinct brand or wire cut, on right side, appears to be two years old, 3 over semi-circle bar, with J over J along side, LEE BUSSARD, R. 2 Wetaskiwin, Brand Reader. 38-35

ESTRAY—On the premises of John B. Watson, Sec. 21, 4R. 24. W. of 4th M. 1 Bay Mare coming, 4 years old, one year from face, little white on nose, white hind feet, brand very indistinct on right shoulder looks like [S]. 30-35

J. D. COWAN, Brand Reader.

ESTRAY—From Westown on Oct. 1st, 2 four years old, 1 Bay Mare, 1 Bay Mare, 0 years old, wire cut on front legs; 1 Sorrel Mare, white face, 1 year from face, little white on nose, white hind feet, brand very indistinct on right shoulder looks like [S]. 30-35

J. D. COWAN, Brand Reader.



General News

Money to loan on good chattel security, long or short terms. C. D. Smith, Diarrid Block.

When you purchase your Christmas gifts from merchants who advertise in the Times you benefit both yourself and the dealer, and if you tell the dealer you saw his ad. in the Times you help the editor, as well.

The total value of the agricultural products of the province of Alberta this year, according to a tabulation just compiled by Secretary D.G. Campbell of the Calgary board of trade, will reach the imposing figure of \$17,000,000. This estimate includes grain, livestock, dairy products, poultry, and even furs.

The Canadian munition industry has been developed to a point where it is independent of the United States. This announcement is made by the Imperial Munitions Board, which is responsible for placing \$800,000,000 of shell orders in Canada for the British Government.

Peterboro, Ont. Dec. 11.—Four persons are known to have been killed, 12 are missing and probably have perished, and 15 workers were injured, five of them very seriously when an explosion of undetermined origin this morning partly wrecked the plant of the Quaker Oats Milling company here and fire quickly swept the destruction. The fire within four minutes was blazing in every part of the structure.

Winnipeg, Dec. 11.—When Premier Bowden arrived here today, Mrs. Nellie McLaughlin of Edmonton was granted a few minutes with the premier. Mrs. McLaughlin made the request that the franchise should be extended to the women of Canada, but urged that in view of present conditions that it should be restricted to British and Canadian-born women. At the close of the interview Sir Robert remarked:

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ESTRAY—From my premises at Crooked Lake Hay last, a red yearling bull, branded C. S., quarter circle underneath, on left side. Suitable reward for information leading to recovery. Mr. C. S. Stuehmer, Route 3, Wetaskiwin. 30-35

BARRED PLYMOUTH ROCKS for Sale—Having more chickens than we wish to winter we will sell utility cockerels, pullets and year-old hens from best laying strain at \$1.00 each. Also a few cockerels at \$2.00 each from imported eggs of fancy strain. C.B. Wagner, Wetaskiwin, Phone 170. 30-15

FOUND—In Wetaskiwin on Nov. 4th, an inner tube of an automobile tire. Owner may have same by applying at The Times office, and paying expenses. 34-15

Big Bargains in Furniture

This Sale has just nicely started, and already Customers have Voiced their Appreciation of the Big Values we are Offering. Our stock is well sorted—some new Furniture just received—and PRICES ON EVERY ARTICLE IN STOCK ARE REDUCED TO A MINIMUM.

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White " oval top, 3.75 for 3.00

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The latest in polishing Mops, adjustable handles, reg. \$1.25 for \$1.00

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Volkin, Ed	\$1
Odell & Russell	3
Loggie & Manley	3
Brice, C.H.	3
Ochs, J.	1 50
Dr. Robertson	4 00
Johnson, J.P.	4
Bayless, G.	1
Gibson, W.	1
Barr, J.H.	1
Murray, A.M.	1
Asp, H.R.	1
Palmer, C.A.	1
Rix, H.T.	1
Witcher, J.G.	1
Doupe, Amos	5
Johnson, C.A.	1
Craig, A.S.	1
Jeune, T.B.	1
Boyer, C.T.C.	1
Wilson, H.	1
Snow, L.	1
Diedrickson, O.A.	1
Roy, A.	1
Alderman, F.E.	1
Alberta, Pacific Elevator Co.	9
Boyer, C.	1
White, R.J.	4
Hubbard, A.	1
Criterion Hotel	4
Dayton, R.	1
Neufur, J.	2
Gross Lumber Co.	17
MacEachern, D.	14
Peterson, P.	1
Felling, R.A.	1
Johnson, V.P.	4
Ronnie, O.H.	2
Union Cafe	4
Hoare, H.G., Dr.	1
Star, J.	1
Brodie, M.	1
Owen, G.L. collection a-c.	61
Shaw, R.N.	1
Short, W.C.	1
Alousally & Murray	13
Johnson, N.A.	9
Walker & Doupe	8
Revelstoke Sawmill Co.	9
Stevenson, T.B. Dr.	4
Lee Wing	2
Gohard, G.L.	1
Kirstein, F.	4
Girling, Mrs.	5
Driad Hotel	5
Marr, L.W.—Proceeds Picnic	19
Beehive Store	10
Northern Drug Co.	5
Peterson, P.C.—Proceeds Picnic	24 15
Womack, A.T.	1
Freeman, F.	1 50
Moan, A.P.	1
U.E.A. Picnic Angus	52
McMurdo, C.B.	4
Lake & Co.	19
Imperial Bank	9
Rural Municipality of	155 15
Montgomery Grant.	50
City of Wetaskiwin	50

An acknowledgement of special prizes will be given in the following issue of this paper.

For The Boys in France

"As far as loving thoughts, careful consideration and an abundance of gifts can make it, this Christmas will be a merry and happy one for our gallant boys in France."

There is one thing, however, that might be lacking to their pleasure—ready money—and this may now be sent in a very convenient form, thanks to the foresight of The Canadian Bank of Commerce, which has obtained a supply of French Bank Notes for this particular purpose.

These notes may be enclosed in your Christmas letter to "your boy" at the front, not as a remittance, but merely as an additional Christmas memento.

These five franc notes (about 90 cents, Canadian) may be had at all branches of The Canadian Bank of Commerce in Montreal, at the current rate of exchange.

From this time forward in Ontario there will be no more prison sentences for deserters. Instead of being arrested and taken before a magistrate, they will be arrested and sent overseas to join their units, either in England or at the front. It is felt that it is better to make these men serve the purpose for which they are trained than to put the government to the expense of maintaining them in prison.

WETASKIWIN MARKETS

Thursday, December 14—	
No. 1 Northern	1.48
No. 2 Northern	1.48
No. 3 Northern	1.40
No. 4 Northern	1.13
Butter	1.13
Barley	.71
Wheat	1.00
Flour	6.50-6.50
Butter	.85
Eggs	.45
Potatoes	.45

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Constipation is one of the commonest of ailments and one too often allowed to go unchecked after and until some serious complication sets in.

If the bowels are properly looked after there will be no constipation, jaundice, sick or bilious headaches, heartburn, coated tongue, sour stomach, floating specks before the eyes, etc.

Milburn's Lax-Liver Pills will keep the bowels regular and cure all liver ills. Mr. Philip McLeod, Tarbot, N.S., writes: "I suffered from constipation ever since I can remember, and for years had pains in the left side of the back. I walked across the kitchen floor I would have to sit down and rest. That I think was terrible for a man of 20 years of age. The condition of my system was shown by pimples breaking out on my face. I suffered so much pain and stiffness in my back I am sure my system must have been poisoned. Milburn's Lax-Liver Pills have entirely cured me. I thoroughly recommend them to everybody."

Milburn's Lax-Liver Pills are 25c a box, 50c a box, \$1.00 a box, at all dealers or mailed direct on receipt of price by The F. L. McLeod Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

SATURDAY SPECIALS

—AT—

FOWLER & COMPANY'S

Groceries

Tomato Catsup

In Tins Saturday 10c

Pure Fruit Jam

Stewart's, all flavors, 4 lb pail, reg. 90c

Saturday Special 75c

Royal Crown Soap

Saturday 6 Bars 20c

Jelly Powder

All Flavors

Saturday 4 for 25c

Jap Oranges, 75c

Special Baking Powder

16 oz. Tin, reg. 25c Sat. 18c

2½ lb Tin, reg. 50c Sat. 40c

5 lb Tin, reg. \$1, Sat. 75c

Dry Goods

China Silk

Extra heavy 27 inch wide, all shades, reg. 50c

Saturday Special 38c

Dress Gingham

100 yards wash-well Dress Gingham, good value at 18c

Saturday Special 12½c

Casement Cloth

3 Pieces with fancy border, reg. price 18c

Saturday Special 10c

Men's Overshoes

Single Buckle Overshoes

Saturday Special \$1.25

Men's Button Boots

Gun metal, all sizes reg. \$6

Special \$4.95

Ladies' Shoes

A few pairs Ladies' Shoes, sizes 2½ to 4, reg. \$5

Saturday Special \$3.50c

Hardware

Electric Table Lamp

One Only regular \$11.50

Saturday Special \$7.00

McClary Range

1 Only Kootney Range, made by McClary Mfg Co extra value at \$67.50

Saturday Special \$59.75

Grind Your Own Coffee

1 lb Coffee Grinder reg. 90c

Saturday Special 60c

Food Choppers

Family Size, reg. \$2.25

Saturday \$1.90

Rag Mats

3 Only, size 24 by 48, reg. \$1.65

Saturday Special 95c

FOWLER & CO.

Christopher's Store for - - Christmas Cheer - -

Christmas comes but once a year, and when it comes it brings its Cheer. It will make your Christmas Dinner a real pleasure to buy your Christmas Groceries from us. We have everything you need but the Turkey

Don't fail to read this List of Articles. It will help you to buy your Christmas Presents, and to buy your Groceries to the best advantage

Mixed Nuts, fresh, per lb. 25c
Shelled Almonds and Walnuts . . 60c
Ground Sweet Almonds per tin . . 60c
Colored Icing 2 Pkgs for 25c
Raisins in bulk and packages, seeded, seedless and Sultanias
Dates and Figs, fresh in
Jams, Jellies and Preserves
Jelly Powder, Jello and Gelatine
Honey in comb, glass or tins,
2 lb Tin, 65c; 5 lb Tin, \$1.15
Catsup, Snider's, Van Camps, Clark's and Heinz, per bottle. 35c; 3 for \$1
Pickles, sweet, sour and mustard in bottles, jars, etc. Dill Pickles in bulk and tins
Olives, stuffed, plain and ripe, any size
Meat Sauces, all kinds and prices!
Marasquin Cherries in pint and half pint bottles, at 40c and 75c Bottle
Olive Oil, LaPerle, French, qts \$2, pts \$1.10 Olive Oil, C & B, 40c/75c
Peels in bulk and package, citron, lemon and orange
Popping Corn, for children, 2 lbs, 25c

Teas, all the best blends Tetley's, Ridgeway's, Salada, Red Rose, Blue Ribbon, Big Four, Ideal, etc.
Coffee, Chase & Sanborn's, Seal and Western Special, Braid's Best, Braid's Big Four, Tuxedo, Climax, etc.
Cereals and Breakfast Foods, any kind you want, always at the lowest price
Confectionery, about 100 lines to select from, price from 20c to 60c lb.
Fruit, Oranges, Apples, Bananas, Jap Oranges, Grapes and Cranberries
Spices and Poultry Seasoning, Flavoring Extracts and Coloring
Tapioca, Sago and Rice
Macaroni, Vermicelli and Spaghetti
White, Brown and Lima Beans
Tobacco, Cigars, Cigarettes, Pipes, Pouches, Etc.
Lard in 3, 5 and 10 lb Tins
Crisco, medium and large size, 40c and 75c per Tin
Maple Syrup, Berry's Pure, in quarts, half gallons and gallons

Fancy China—Royal Doulton, Nippon, Johnson, English, Japanese, Etc. 10% Discount till Christmas.

EXTRA SPECIAL—Japanese Oranges for Xmas, per Box 65c

Apples, Apples, Apples—If you want a box or a dozen boxes of Fancy Eating Apples for Xmas, see our stock before you buy and ask for a Recipe Book

Don't forget to Get your Tickets for the Sewing Machine to be given away early in the new year.

J. J. CHRISTOPHER

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